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BIG TOP Facts and Figures

Oscanian Bros. Circus is America's only tented circus still appearing under local sponsorship, leaving a portion of the income for your local uses. Performances last year raised more than \$750,000.00 for local civic, service and charitable organizations.

Oscanian Bros. Circus is one of the world's largest tent circuses. This claim is based on:

RINGS
It's a REAL 3-Ring show on tour, plus hippodrome track and steel arena.

ELEPHANT
The Ponderous African Beasts.

ANIMALS
Many wild, exotic and domestic.

PERFORMERS
Approximately 40 human performers, including band and clowns, plus many animal actors.

VEHICLES
Show-owners transports, plus private units.



EXTRAORDINARY SR. RAMOS

AMERICA'S FOREMOST WILD ANIMAL TRAINER!

When the door of the big steel arena closes, 36-year old Sr. Ramos, turns to face the wild lions, jaguars, two black panthers and is alone.

When he works mixed acts with the Oscanian Bros. Circus no one can step in to help him, if he is not able to keep the 500-pound beasts under control.

He is the preeminent male wild animal trainer in the USA. He has received numerous citations and awards throughout the US, including circus fans.

"Reporters often ask whether I've ever been hurt, Sr. Ramos says. "What they're really asking is whether I've made any errors. I don't like to talk about my mistakes."

"I've had a few minor accidents and some close calls, but nothing serious. I know my animals."

Sr. Ramos has been a wild animal trainer for over 10 years, working with lions, jaguars and Black Panthers.

"I still take care of my own animals. I don't trust their care to anyone else," he confides. His biggest problem? Finding food for the

animals. "We feed poultry, horsemeat and beef in rotation. Butcher shop waste isn't satisfactory. It doesn't have enough lean meat. And, of course, it is impractical to feed prime cuts. Sometimes we can't find what we want."

How did he get into the wild animal training business? He's being a circus performer for generations.

Come face to face with Bengal tiger or a South American jaguar in a locked cage and you must first but, wait!

Senior Arturo Ramos knows the answer. He should. For 36 years, his entire life, he has kept close company with nature's fiercest predator-not to mention that they can be as unpredictable as sharks.

He is a cat man, a lion tamer, circus performer, animal trainer and part owner of Oscanian Brothers Circus now in town.

For fun and show, he will wrap a live jaguar stole around his thick, muscular neck to the astonishment and delight of onlookers. It's good showmanship. But he's not smiling inside.

Is it really dangerous to mix lions and tigers? His answer? "Not nearly as much as it is to mix males and females," he says. And that's just what he has done.

Prince Sheba the male lion who weighs in at more than 500 pounds each, are a fearsome contrast to Sr. Ramos.

"Obviously, physical force isn't the answer, he points out. "It's more a matter of mastery of their minds."

"It's true that they can sense fear. You can't let them buffalo you."

When he has trouble with one of his charges, the act can run a bit overtime. He insists that each stunt be done perfectly. If it isn't, the cat must repeat it until it is done correctly.

He likes being part of Oscanian Bros. Circus. It is what he calls an "old time tent circus" where the elephants help put up the big top and moves most of the equipment around.

"It's a huge family show like the circuses of 30 or 40 years ago."

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A TWO-VEHICLE ACCIDENT early Wednesday morning hospitalized the drivers and lone occupants of both vehicles. Injured in the accident were Curtis Barefoot of Elba and John Bridges of Daleville. The accident happened shortly after 6:30 a.m. just east of Elba on Highway 84.

According to witnesses at the scene, Barefoot was traveling east in a heavy fog and didn't see any oncoming cars. He reportedly turned across the traffic to meet a man for a planned grass-cutting chore. Bridges was traveling west enroute to his job at Elba General Hospital.

Barefoot received internal injuries but was walking around the scene before the rescue squad arrived, and he was taken to Elba General. He was driving a Dodge pickup truck.

Bridges was pinned in his Ford Escort station wagon for about an hour while members of the Elba Rescue Squad worked to cut him out of the vehicle. The rescue workers placed him under oxygen while working to free him from the car. They used the "Jaws of Life" to cut the top from the car and pry his legs loose. He was aware of what was happening and was moving his right arm, which was free, during most of the activities. Bridges was lifted out on a backboard and transported to an Enterprise hospital.

Commission settles dispute over inkkind expenses charged against farm center

The Coffee County Commission met in regular session on Monday, June 22, at the courthouse in Enterprise and agreed to alter the actual cost for inkkind services rendered during the construction of the new multi-purpose building at the Farm Center and reimburse the building fund for the amount in excess of actual construction costs.

A member of the Farm Center Planning Committee had met with a number of commissioners last week to express displeasure with the county commission after the commission had deducted almost \$25,000 from the building fund for dirt purchased to build up a base for paving and inkkind work done by county highway department employees. The committee argued that the commission had agreed to provide the inkkind work at no cost and the figure of over \$20,000 in inkkind services was excessive.

The commission had originally instructed the county administrator to deduct the total amount from the building fund to cover the highway department expenses due to a legality which prohibits using gasoline (tax funds) for anything except highway department projects. Since highway department employees did actual work in the preparation of the concrete pad for the building, the building fund was charged the expenses incurred.

At Monday's meeting, the commission agreed that the figure of over \$20,000 was excessive for the amount of work done and voted to reimburse the building fund the amount in excess of the actual construction labor costs.

The commission again heard a request from the county's three court reporters for a \$150-per-month increase in supplemental pay for each reporter. The last documented increase was said to have been in 1969, and the pay raise asked for would be covered by the district attorney's worthless check fund.

The commission voted to approve the raise and put it into effect at the time the raise is approved by the legislature.

County engineer, Mark Pool, appeared at the meeting for the first time as the new county engineer and told the commission that repair bills on county equipment was staggering. Pool reported that two pieces of heavy equipment at the landfill had received over \$24,000 in repairs during the past year and were in need of over \$32,000 in repairs at this time.

The engineer also reported that three other pieces of heavy machinery were in need of repair and called the repeated repairs "putting good money into bad."

The county engineer recommended the purchase of a 21-yard pan for use both at the landfill and in the road department, a purchase that would replace four smaller pans now in use at various work sites.

Pool stated to purchase the pan would save approximately \$77,000 a year in repair bills and also enable the county to eliminate one position at the landfill for a total savings of over \$95,000 a year.

The new pan would cost in excess of \$200,000 a year, but could be paid for in less than three years under the plan, according to Pool.

The commission instructed the engineer to provide further studies at a meeting with the commission at a future date and agreed to discuss the plan.

In other business at Monday's meeting, the commission:

- ***learned that a \$300,000 grant application for the extension of water systems in the county had been denied;
- ***accepted the resignation of Commissioner Bill Faulk from the Farm Center Planning Committee;
- ***took no action on the implementation of the county tobacco tax; and
- ***adjourned until July 13, at which time the commission will return to Elba for the next quarter.

Deputy dies of gunshot wound

Billy Wayne McKinnon, age 26, a sergeant with the Coffee County Sheriff's Dept., was found dead at his Enterprise residence shortly after midnight June 23, 1987.

Preliminary findings indicate that

McKinnon died of a gunshot wound. No foul play is suspected and an autopsy has been ordered.

McKinnon had served with the sheriff's department for approximately five years.

Forged checks cause problems

Elba Police Chief John Ed White urged all merchants accepting checks to request an ID, driver's license or Social Security number before cashing the check.

A rash of forged checks is occurring in the Elba area and Chief White stated by having a Social Security number or driver's license number it will be easier to apprehend the person who passed the check.

Tobacco tax still in senate

Coffee County Attorney Warren Rowe reported this week that he was mistaken last week when he informed Probate Judge Marion Brunson that the county's tobacco tax had passed the legislature and was ready to be collected.

Rowe stated this week that in a

conversation with Rep. Jimmy Holley it was reported that "the tax" had passed; however, Rowe understood the tax Holley was speaking of was not tobacco tax, when it was actually the county's 1-cent sales tax.

The recently increased garbage fees were again under discussion. Businessman Waylon Adkinson was

County school board to expand to seven members

The Coffee County Board of Education met on Monday night, June 22, and reported it had submitted a new redistricting plan that would increase the population of the board to seven members, with the members to be selected from the districts identical to those presently used by the Coffee County Commission.

Board attorney Jim Weatherford told members at the monthly meeting that the new plan had been approved by the plaintiffs in the suit, filed to force the board to elect a member from a predominantly black district, and stated the plan would now be introduced to the federal court for approval.

Supt. Clayton Bryant stated the board had hoped to redistrict the county without adding to the number of members; however, a demographer studied the layout and population trends of the county and reported it would be impossible to divide the county into districts with a predominantly black district unless the county was divided into at least six districts.

After the decision of the demographer was discussed, board members agreed to follow the district lines used by the county commission to avoid confusion for residents of the county.

Before leaving the meeting, the attorney also stated the local board was involved in a suit concerning students crossing county lines to attend schools. Weatherford explained that a suit had been filed involving students from Butler, Crenshaw and Lowndes Counties attending schools in neighboring counties, and when students were asked to give accurate addresses a total of 11 students living in Coffee County reported they were attending school in Crenshaw County, making

Coffee County a part of the suit. All board members and Supt. Bryant expressed surprise that any Coffee County students were attending school outside the county, but agreed to notify the parents of the students and request that the students attend class in Coffee County.

The monthly board meeting, which lasted almost three hours, began at 7 p.m., and after the routine approval of minutes and bills for payment, went into executive session for over 90 minutes to conduct attendance hearings involving a number of students.

Personnel matters included accepting the resignations of three teachers in the system and employing three teachers in similar slots.

The board accepted the resignations of Fred Harper, a business/English teacher at Kinross; Thomas Carpenter, a mathematics teacher at Kinross High School; and Wayne Holley, head basketball coach at Zion Chapel High School, while approving the employment of Lynn Whitehurst as an early childhood teacher at Kinross Elementary School; Jan Watson as first grade teacher at New Brockton Elementary, and Duane McCalman as a business/English teacher at Kinross High School.

In other personnel matters the board transferred Mary Holley to Kinross Elementary School, where she will teach third grade, and placed Mike Harrelson, vocational agriculture teacher at Kinross High School, on a 12-month contract.

Supt. Bryant stated the various organizations in the county system were involved in many fund-raising activities during the year, and in an attempt to cut down the need for such events recommended the board

adopt school budgets for the coming school year that would supplement numerous areas of activities.

A total of \$6,300 was allocated for the offices at the county system's seven schools, based on enrollment, while each library was allocated \$3 per student. The libraries will receive a total of \$5,787, with New Brockton High School receiving a high of \$1,131 and Kinross Elementary receiving a low of \$813.

Cheerleaders of each of the county's three high schools will receive \$500, while all three band programs will receive \$2,000, as will the county's athletic programs. Each school will also receive \$3 per student for disbursement by the principal for additional materials needed by teachers during the school year.

The board members approved the plan unanimously and applauded the superintendent for the plan to cut down on the number of fund-raising events held at the schools.

Supt. Bryant told the board members it was past time to make a decision on the new physical education building planned at Zion Chapel High School and recommended the board approve the construction of the building at a total cost of almost \$90,000.

The cost was approximately \$20,000 more than budgeted; however, Supt. Bryant stated he would meet with the Zion Chapel Quarterback Club and ask the club to help defray at least half the cost of the overruns. The board approved the recommendation unanimously.

The county schools are all receiving extensive renovation work during the summer vacation, and at Monday's meeting the board was brought up to date on where the renovation work was taking place. Projects underway included restrooms at New Brockton High School, redoing the Ag building at Zion Chapel, redoing the cafeteria at New Brockton High School, restoring the elementary school classrooms at Kinross High School and New Brockton Elementary School, painting and cleanup at all three schools, painting the interiors and finishing the floors at all three gyms, installing walkways to the parking lots at New Brockton Elementary and Zion Chapel Elementary, closing in a portion of the campus at Kinross High School for use as a library at a cost of \$100,000, renovating the restrooms at Zion Chapel and Kinross and carpeting the New Brockton Elementary School that was damaged by fire.

A plan to bring all lunchroom workers in the system under a uniform pay scale was discussed by the members and Supt. Bryant passed out a detailed plan for hourly pay for all the employees based on the number of meals prepared and other criteria. Board members are to study the proposed plan and take action at the next meeting.

The system's tobacco policy was again discussed and after revisions the board accepted a policy that spells out very clearly the board's wishes on the matter.

The new policy adopted Monday states "Use of tobacco in any form shall not be allowed in any school facility or on school grounds during school hours. Employees who have responsibilities which extend beyond regular school hours shall refrain from using tobacco in these situations."

The board members agreed the new policy would be easily understood and expressed the opinion that violations would be few.

In other action at the lengthy meeting, the board:

- ***expressed no interest in attending the Regional Board Convention in North Carolina;
- ***expressed little interest in attending the state convention at Point Clear;
- ***agreed to use \$15,000 in local funds to purchase textbooks;
- ***postponed nominating a member to the County Board of Equalization until the July meeting;
- ***accepted the low bid from Rankin Construction of \$66,000 to renovate restrooms at Zion Chapel and Kinross; and
- ***agreed to study plans concerning makeup work for suspended students and a policy for compulsory attendance.



Coffee County School Supt. Clayton Bryant listens as members of the Coffee County Board of Education discuss renovation plans at the system's three schools. The board met Monday night and agreed to an extensive renovation plan involving all county schools.

Elba council tables action on all items

The Elba City Council tabled action Monday evening at their regular meeting. Three items were discussed by the group and the council voted each time one was discussed to table any action until a later meeting. All three were matters that don't have simple yes or no answers, according to council members, and they want more information before voting.

The council discussed the problem presented by Mr. Lamar Hall of a street on property he says he owns. They referred to a letter written by City Attorney Mark Vaughan to Mr. Hall concerning the matter. However, council members felt they needed additional information before voting on the matter.

Hall was asking the city to pay him for the strip of property and suggested he receive title to land the city bought from the railroad, plus \$1,000.

Council members questioned the legality of their doing anything since Hall said the street had been there since 1952. The matter was tabled until the next meeting.

Ben Carpenter asked the city to take some action to improve a platted street off Bypass Street, at the daycare center he and his wife own. The council instructed the city clerk to look into the matter and determine if the city ever accepted this as a city street. It will be discussed at the next meeting.

The recently increased garbage fees were again under discussion. Businessman Waylon Adkinson was

present protesting the high rates for his grocery store and the \$2 increase on residents. He noted his business collected a lot of sales tax for Elba and felt the city owed some service to the businesses.

He was also concerned over the increase to many elderly people on fixed incomes.

Mayor Bob English presented a new schedule for increases that included cutting most of the

increases, but adding in increases for the 227 commercial customers now paying only \$10. These would increase to \$12 or \$17, according to business size. The change would cost the city \$2,770 per month. Any action was tabled until the next meeting.

The city formally accepted the low bid of Tucker Electric for installation of a heating and cooling unit at the police station.

Motion filed to dismiss charges

Joel M. Folmar, district attorney for the Twelfth Judicial Circuit of Alabama, announced recently that he has filed a motion to dismiss all state charges pending against three Pike County deputy sheriffs and five former Pike County jail inmates.

Folmar said the deputies and the former inmates were indicted by a Pike County Grand Jury in January, 1987, for the felony offense of Unlawful Act by Three or More Convicts or Prisoners Acting in Concert.

Folmar said that shortly after the indictments were handed down by the Pike County Grand Jury, he and members of his office were contacted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Middle District of Alabama. The federal agencies requested that they be allowed to intervene to investigate and prosecute under

Brainstorms

By Ferrin Cox, Publisher

Elba Belcher was honored Saturday night by the county chapter of the ADC. Her award was for community service as it related to her church work and her work as a columnist with this newspaper. We salute her for her untiring efforts. A special feeling went into her winning of this award because this country boy was also honored by being asked to make the presentation of her award. They wouldn't let me say a lot 'cause they had a lot going on and didn't want to tire those attending. I was all set to "put one on them," but the lady with the big stick said "no."

The Elba City Council is discussing changes in their newly adopted garbage rates. It appears, as we predicted last week, that there will be some cuts in some areas including the residential fee. Each of the sets of rates being batted around would mean the city would be supplementing the garbage service by several thousand dollars a month. While we have said and continue to believe every tub should sit on its own bottom, we find our opinion tempered by the wisdom of another. Mrs. Gladys Yelverton said after the meeting that services must be paid for, but it would probably be better for the public if the city didn't change long-standing policies so drastically. She thought we should slowly work toward proper allocations of cost over a long period of time, meanwhile keeping the people informed on what to expect. Her thoughts went deeper than *Brainstorms*, and we bow to Mrs. Yelverton's logic.

We also are well aware of something else said at the meeting. We don't know when we can expect another increase in garbage cost. The health protection people have already put down regulations in Florida that if put into force here could cost Elba folks seven or eight times the present cost of using the landfill. They are requiring expensive plastic liners, etc., in the landfill and they cost thousands and thousands of dollars.

Billy Wayne McKinnon's sudden death was a shock to all who knew him. Here was a young man who appeared to really enjoy life. He worked hard at his job and every time he came into our office Billy Wayne was smiling. We share his family's grief.

The U.S. Census Bureau will be in Elba counting heads in August. They will be here a few days earlier hitting some folks to help with this job. It pays \$5.66 an hour for a couple of weeks and they will need eight. Pick up a job application at city hall any time after Monday if you would like to have one of these now-counting jobs. Elba folks are not the ones doing the hiring, but they have the applications.

County Commissioner Robert Stephens is back in the gardening business this year. His tomatoes are as good as ever... almost as good as the cane syrup he was selling last winter. One day last week he came into our office with some fresh tomatoes, a jar of mayo and a loaf of fresh bread. He had seen those Europeans bringing bread and wine when they visited and he was doing the same thing. He always has the best-tasting "maters and these were no exception. His mayo was also the best on the market as far as I am concerned. He is such a refreshing face to see when he does come by, but this makes him even more welcome with all of us.

The Coffee County School Board has made it the law... you don't use tobacco in any form on school property during school activities. We salute this strong action and hope to see the day all schools take the same position. Now we must realize that during football games, etc., there is little that can be done to stop smoking but everywhere else it is enforceable and we salute them.

The county board has also done something to curb the constant fund-raising efforts of the various school groups. They have allocated some money to several of these and will from now on most of the fund-raising efforts of the past. The three bands in the county system will get an extra \$2,000 each, cheerleaders \$500; athletics an extra \$2,000 and the libraries \$3 per student plus a special \$3 per student will be available to the teachers for student supplies. This is some direct relief we can see from the countywide one-cent sales tax passed last year.

I now know how many human beings there can ever be on earth. Some math whiz says it is sextillionplex - or thereabouts. In case you are not up on sextillionplex (don't forget the plex), it is a 1 followed by 1 billion zeros, raised to the trillionth power. Now that is a lot of anything, especially people. However, I have been tied up in traffic behind most of them just this week!

If you are still with me after the math lesson above, here is another for you. All the math teachers I ever had or books I have read use infinity for anything too large for measuring. Well, when it gets larger than that, we have another measurement... ale-fone. We plan to file this one on the back burner, 'cause we ain't figured out how far infinity goes yet.

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THE WITCHES OF EASTWICK
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No Passes, No Wed. Night Discount

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BAKER RECEIVES AWARD... Elba postal employee David Baker (left) recently received a Certificate Award from the United States Postal Service for sustained above-average performance of duty. The certificate stated that Baker had performed his duties in an outstanding manner for the past five years. Presenting Baker with the certificate and a \$500 cash award was Bill Bullard, Elba postmaster.

OBITUARIES

ROBERT JINRIGHT

Mr. Robert Jinright, age 70, of Rt. 1, Jack, died June 20, 1987. Funeral services were held June 22 at 2 p.m. from Hayes Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Jimmy Edkins officiating. Burial was in Rosum Ridge Cemetery, with Hayes directing.

Survivors include one brother: William Oscar Jinright, Jack; two sisters: Doll Jackson, Troy, and Fannie Lou Wambles, Elba.

EXIA MAE LEVERETT

Mrs. Exia Mae Leverett, age 83, of Rt. 1, Glenwood, died June 19,



MARILYN MARKS, president of Dorsey Trailers, was guest speaker at the Monday meeting of the Elba Rotary Club. Shorty Martin was responsible for the program that included the talk.

Marks briefly told the group what the eleven investors who purchased the trailer manufacturer planned and what had been accomplished during the few short weeks since the changeover. She praised the attitude of the workers in the Elba plant and said the local facility had shown the most turnaround in productivity. She noted this is the largest plant and had been suffering the most problems; however they had concentrated most of their efforts in Elba and it had paid off well.

While Marks noted the new company had a long way to go, it was now turning a profit and economists expected business to be good for the next two years. She said several times that the attitude of the local workers was the key to the successful turnaround. Also given credit was the harmony of the local plant workers with the business community of Elba, which she said was "great."

Marks noted some of the unusual problems of "being a woman in a man's world." She said that a conversation she had recently had with registration for company officials and another line for "wife." She registered on the top line and wasn't refused entrance! In fact she came away as a member of the Board of Directors. She also told of the local plant worker who asked, "Can you cook a biscuity?" She said she can't.

Pictured above following the Rotary meeting are from left: Roy Belcher, Shorty Martin, Marks, Joe Ben DeVane, Joe Fiamingo and Paul Morrow. Martin was in charge of the program and the others are all Dorsey corporate officers.



ELBA RESIDENTS HONORED... Robert E. Flowers (left) and Irene P. Dougherty, both of Elba, received awards during the Civilian Personnel Incentive Awards ceremony at Ft. Rucker Friday, May 15. Flowers received a Performance award, while Dougherty received a 20-year Length-of-Service award. [U.S. Army photo by Spec. 4 Vicki Hudson]



ELBA POLICE REPORT

The Elba Police Dept. reported an active week with a total of 3 arrests (theft of property, assault and criminal trespass) and 7 traffic citations (no driver's license - 3; speeding - 2 and failure to stop at stop sign - 2). Following are daily activity reports:

TUESDAY, JUNE 16

Activity included a wreck at the Dairy Queen (4:46 p.m.), a stove on fire at a home on Taylor Mill Road (7:18 p.m.), a disturbance at the Riviera Motel (9:37 p.m.) and a prowler across from the Beaver Dam Restaurant (11:34 p.m.).

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17

Activity included a wreck on Taylor St. (5:34 p.m.).

THURSDAY, JUNE 18

Activity included a wreck on Smith Ave. (7:36 a.m.), an attempted burglary at the Hickory

Pit (9:03 a.m.), a disturbance at Burch Trauer Park (7:36 p.m.).

FRIDAY, JUNE 19

Activity included a disturbance and possible fight at Little Beaver Apts. (9:46 p.m.).

SATURDAY, JUNE 20

Activity included a report of a rabid cat on N. Clarive (7:55 a.m.), a fight at Gray's Grocery (12:51 p.m.), a fight at a home on 87 N. (6:57 p.m.) and a disturbance at Lee and Reynolds Sts. (11:06 p.m.).

SUNDAY, JUNE 21

Activity included a shop on 167 S. (12:02 p.m.) and a disturbance at the Knick Knack Shop (10:36 p.m.).

MONDAY, JUNE 22

Activity included a prowler on Herman Driggers Drive (10:02 p.m.).

Southeast Alabama To Be Featured Tonight On Public Television Network

"Discovering Alabama" will be broadcast tonight (Thursday), June 25, by Public Television beginning at 8 o'clock. The program will investigate the southeast Alabama region, an area known geologically as the coastal plain, "explains outdoor educator Dr. Doug Phillips, host of the program.

"As the name implies the coastal plain was the last part of the state to be covered by the sea as the water slowly receded into the Gulf of Mexico."

Two examples of the wonders of the area include a 30-foot waterfall and evidence of pre-historic sea

reservoirs. Also included in the program will be the pocomin, a unique land form containing shrub bogs that are uncommon for inland Alabama. And there are sinkholes that fill with water and mysteriously empty - sometimes overnight, according to program officials.

"Discovering Alabama" also examines the forces that have changed southeast Alabama by investigating the writings of William Bartram, a famous naturalist who explored the area 210 years ago. "... this is a remarkably special part of Alabama," Phillips says. "Its

Highway director

to speak June 25

Royce King, director of the Alabama Highway Dept., will be at a special public meeting to be held Thursday, June 25, to discuss plans for his department and answer questions from the public. The meeting will be held in the Civic Center in Enterprise at 7 p.m. The public is invited.

Offer Made For

Purchase Of 22.2% Of Shares Of Stock

On May 28, 1987, National Security Insurance Company received a copy of a Schedule 13D filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by a group of investors disclosing the purchase of 226,243 shares of National Security Insurance Company's common stock, at a price per share of \$27.50. These shares represent approximately 22.2 percent of the total shares presently issued and outstanding.

The schedule indicates the sellers are Atlantic American Corporation, Atlantic American Life Insurance Company, Bankers Fidelity Life Insurance Company, and Georgia Casualty and Surety Company. The subject Schedule 13D further states that the acquisition of the portion of these shares in excess of 5 percent of the total outstanding is subject to the approval of the Alabama Dept. of Insurance. Date of the transaction is listed as May 18, 1987.

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Swap My Corn Patch For A Few Gov'tment Dollars???

By: Faye Brown, Moundville, Ala.

"This is an excerpt from an article written in honor of farmers who have poured their life-blood into the soil. Ironically, 100 years ago this year - 1887 - Congress passed the Hatch Act and thereby set up Agricultural Experimentation Stations across our land to help farmers increase corn production. It has been so successful until now, 1987, the USDA is giving a "one-time bonus" to farmers who will retire corn acreage more drastically than before.

In this year, 1987, the government is holding out a prize - offering me a few dollars if I'll let my corn patch die. Why, I can remember when corn was the thread farmers clung to when all else had stretched and snapped. When the last locks of cotton had been ginned and barely paid the mercantile - it was then that the corn" left in the poor man's crib of proof, in reality, to be "his king."

It can recall that growing corn taught children the value of work. It was hard labor for the entire Southern family. The farmers' oldest sons skipped lessons at the school in early spring to drop the grain in rows. The girls-becoming-women often left before the school term's end to thin the corn, or hoe the crab - grass that since the heavy rains, left in the corn's path, and the plants and using heavy for.

The special broadcast may be seen on the following stations:
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Pictured above is Davey L. Sessions receiving the Rookie-of-the-Year award for outstanding salesmanship with Southern Farm Bureau Life Insurance Company. Making the presentation is district sales manager Bob Taylor. Other awards received by Davey during 1986 included the \$2 Million Club and Round Table. For his achievements Davey received a one-week trip for two to the Waikiki Sheraton in Hawaii and a diamond ring. He and his wife Lynn, who is an executive secretary for Delta Air Lines, reside in Jacksonville, where they are members and Davey is a teacher at the Cedarhurst Church of Christ. Davey is the son of Mrs. Horace Sessions of Rt. 3, Elba. He is a 1975 graduate of Kinston High School, and of Enterprise State Junior College, and attended Troy State University.

Surplus Auction Set For Today At 8:30 At Ft. Rucker

An auction will be held at Ft. Rucker Thursday, June 25, with bidder registration to begin at 7:30 a.m., sale to begin at 8:30 a.m. in the Defense Reutilization and Marketing Office, Building 1313, Quartermaster Rd. The property may be inspected prior to the sale from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m. weekdays.



WESLEY CLARK celebrated his 7th birthday on June 19 at Tom Mott's Celebrity Day and placed 8th in a fishing contest. He received a plaque and four bottles of fish formula. He placed 4th in the casting contest and received a plaque and a reel-and-rod.

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Only occasionally did corn seem to lead to a stretching of the truth. On a Sunday afternoon my daddy's say to Mr. Homer, "Feel up to walking to the new ground to see my corn. Must be 20 feet up down there next to the creek, and jet black. Looking like I'll might-nigh make 75 bushels to the acre - if the coons don't get to 'er."

The cycle of the corn, long ago, told the farmer's love for neighbors. If fire destroyed a cabin on the ridge, while men cut down the logs the women sewed several tickings from guano sacks. They stuffed them with the softest, freshest shucks from their own cribs; they would help to cushion the skimpy cotton mattresses they could spare - and add extra comfort to their neighbor's rest at night.

"Matilda, here's a shuck mop I fixed for ye, one would say. Found the old frame and cedar trees in the lot. Then scratchy shucks I stuck in the holes'll scrub your new plank floor right nicely, I reckon."

The farmers' faith in God and nature kept them coming, year after year, to put their corn and guano and their sweat of brow into the soil was rewarded. There were the lean years when the droughts came, and the floods, and the borer worms. But, all in all, they saw the corn that sapped their strength come to give it back again.

The fresh corn became creamed corn, corn-on-the-cob, or corn relish for the year. The dried corn was transformed into hominy and bread (corn pone, flapjacks and cornbread dressing, just to name a few).

Once when my ear hurt terribly in the night I overheard my parents pray that the pain would go away; they saw no way to pay the doctor nor buy me medicine in town. In faith Mom arose from knees to toast a pan of cornmeal on the open fire. She tied it in a double bag and came to lay it softly by my aching head. Soon was sleeping, undisturbed, and morning found me well again.

Elba Band To Sponsor Deep South

Racking Horse Show June 27 At 6:00

The Elba Tiger Marching Band will sponsor the 9th annual Deep South Racking Horse Show on Saturday, June 27, at 6 p.m. at the Elba Recreation Center, Highway 87 North.

Carpenter Receives ASU Scholarship

Christina Carpenter of Elba has been awarded a Leadership Award by Alabama State University. Christina will be a freshman at ASU for the fall 1987 semester. She has also been given a High School Counselor Merit Award by the school.

Leadership awards are given to high school student council presidents or senior class presidents. Recipients must also have a minimum grade point average of 2.5 on a 3.0 scale. The award is given in the amount of \$500 and is non-renewable.

The awards are also granted to high school students who exhibit outstanding leadership abilities in their communities. Demonstrated abilities include organization officers in religious and civic groups and activities.

Counselor Merit awards are given to high school graduating seniors from accredited high schools within 50 miles of the ASU campus.

For more information contact Loretta Culpepper at 205/255-5263/2275.

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MRS. ELBA BELCHER of Elba was honored by the Coffee County chapter of the Alabama Democratic Conference for her community service as a columnist for *THE ELBA CLIPPER*. Above she is shown with Alabama Supreme Court Justice Oscar Adams Jr. Mrs. Belcher was presented her award by Clipper publisher Ferrin Cox.

Other area residents honored included Circuit Judge Terry Butts, who was named for his judicial service to the people of the area. Also honored were seven area black businessmen: Mr. Rayfield Reynolds, Mr. Frank Phillips and Mr. Walter Hardwick, Mr. Jimmy C. Brooks, Mr. R. C. Carpenter and Reverends C. A. Hammond and V. J. Coleman.



GUESTS AT THE third annual Fellowship Awards dinner of the Coffee County Democratic Conference chatted during the reception preceding the dinner. Shown above are guest speaker Honorable Oscar Adams, Jr., Associate member Alabama Supreme Court, Circuit Judge Terry Butts, Mrs. Susan Butts, Coffee County Circuit Deputy Jim Henderson and State Representative Jimmy Holley. The event was held at the Enterprise Junior College.

During his keynote address, Adams told the assembled group that he believed in and loved three things: America, Alabama and the law. He is a native of Birmingham and practiced law there for 31 years before stepping up to the judgeship.

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Socials

Matthews To Observe 50th Wedding Anniversary, Sunday, June 28th

Mr. and Mrs. Winslow (Mavin) Matthews will observe their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, June 28, with a reception in the Community Room of The Peoples

Bank of Elba, between the hours of two and four in the afternoon. Their children, who are hosts, invite all friends and relatives to share in this occasion.

Sheffields Host Fish Fry

Reda, Jerry and Kelly Sheffield hosted a poolside fish fry at their home Saturday night, June 20. Family and friends attending the supper were: Orel and Madge Johnson, Lorene and Leon Hardy, Donnie Hardy and friend, Mrs. Marie Chancelier, all of the Zion

Chapel Community; Mrs. Maude Sheffield, Danny, Debbie, Daniel and Ashley Sheffield, and Judy Helms, all of Brundidge; Nancy Helms of Mobley; John Frank and Vanessa Hudson of San Antonio, Tex.

New Arrival

LINDSEY ANNE MADDOX
Em-4 and Mrs. L.E. Maddox (Lake and Katie) of San Diego, Calif., announce the birth of their daughter, Lindsey Anne, on Father's Day, June 21, 1987, at 2:42 a.m. in a San Diego hospital.

The new arrival weighed 7 lbs. 15½ ozs., and measured 21½ inches in length.

Grandparents and Nick and Ethel Mae Maddox of Rt. 1, Elba; Circuit Judge and Mrs. Peter A. Rapcho of Lewistown, Montana.

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Harrison, DeFuniak Springs, Fla.; and Mrs. Dixie Mae Maddox, Rt. 1, Elba.

Son Brad, age 2½, welcomed his new sister aboard.

Lake is stationed with the U.S. Navy aboard the U.S.S. Hoel.

Mobley — Shook Wedding

Miss Anita Denise Mobley and Mr. Derek Penton Shook were united in marriage Saturday, May 9, at four o'clock in the afternoon in Victoria Baptist Church, Victoria, Ala.

Rev. Larry Doster performed the double-ring candlelight ceremony. Parents of the bride and groom are Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Mobley of Victoria and Lt. Col. and Mrs. F.W. Shook of Montgomery.

A program of wedding music was provided by pianist Miss Anita Ellis of Montgomery. Mrs. Robin Doster, vocalist, performed the selections "God, A Woman and a Man," "Looking Through the Eyes of Love" and "My Tribute, To God be the Glory."

Miss Tawanna Magouirk of Montgomery, presided at the registry table.

The ceremony was directed by Mrs. Judy Killingsworth.

The bride was given in marriage by her parents and was escorted to the altar by her father.

She wore a gown of white silk taffeta with a fitted bodice and high collar. Re-embroidered lace covered the bodice and was accented with pearls and bridal sequins. Tiny satin leaves and silk miniature roses outlined the inset yoke of illusion.

Renaissance sleeves of silk taffeta tapered to points of silk Venice lace over the hands.

The full skirt swept to a Cathedral length train that was edged with a short ruffle and adorned with scalloped Schiffler embroidered lace. A large bow with long streamers was fashioned in back at the waist.

The fingertip illusion veil, which was hand-sewn by the bride's mother, was a wreath of silk miniature roses and tulle, matching leaves and accented pearl sprays. The back of the headpiece was also accented with pearls.

The bride carried a white Bible covered with a bouquet of white and pink roses, pink roses and white carnations.

Mrs. Lynn Mattison of Montgomery served as maid of honor.

Bridesmaids were Mrs. Zeina Mobley of Victoria, sister-in-law of the bride; Miss Brenda Mobley of Victoria, cousin of the bride; Mrs. Bonnie Shook of Montgomery, sister-in-law of the groom; and Miss Sidney Burkett of Knoxville, Tenn.

Their gowns, which were hand-sewn by the bride's mother, were made of French blue bridal satin.

The floor-length gowns had a close-fitting, dropped-waist bodice. A bateau neckline graced the front of the bodice, while the back plunged to an open V-shape. The back of the waist was accented with a large bow with long streamers.

The above-elbow puffed sleeves were overlaid with matching lace. They carried bouquets of miniature roses in contrasting shades of dusty rose, matching carnations, and white baby's breath.

The cascading bouquets were accented with streamers of French blue ribbon and were enhanced with baby's breath.

Miss Brittany Mobley, niece of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a hand-sewn gown of white satin with a lace overlay, short puffed sleeves and a ruffled bodice accented with tiny French blue ribbons. A large bow with long streamers was fashioned in back at the waist.

She carried a white ruffled basket filled with pink rose petals.

Master Brink Mobley, nephew of the bride, was ringbearer. He carried a handmade wedding pillow, cross-stitched in the colors of the ceremony, by Mrs. Nell Kelley.

The groom's father served as best man.

Groomsmen were Wilson Mobley and Ricky Mobley, both of Victoria, brothers of the bride; Craig Shook of Montgomery, brother of the groom; David Weston of Montgomery, cousin of the groom; Rusty Maraman of Birmingham, and David Norrell of Spartanburg, S.C.

The bride and groom were married by Rev. Larry Doster.

The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

Serving at the reception were Mrs. Lisa McKnight, Mrs. Janie Slaughter, Miss Elena Bass, Miss Julie Nadeau, Miss Michelle Bass and Miss Jackie Palmer.

After a wedding trip to the Bahamas and Disney World, the couple resides in Montgomery.

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April 12 in the home of Mrs. Penny Rogers of Montgomery.

Miss Tawanna Magouirk of Montgomery held a lingerie shower for the bride-elect in her home on April 20.

A luncheon for the bridesmaids was held May 2 in the home of Mrs. Zella Mobley of Victoria.

The groom's parents hosted an after-rehearsal dinner May 8 at the Holiday Inn in Troy.



Elba Elementary School teachers June Hamm and June Grantham prepare materials prior to the start of a workshop being taught at the Elba Elementary School. Teachers from 22 school systems are taking part in the 4-week workshop aimed at improving education at the elementary level.



Teachers from 22 school systems across south Alabama were in attendance last week during the opening week of a summer workshop held at Elba Elementary School. Seventy-five to 100 teachers attended the daily classes.

RECEPTION

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NEWS FROM OUR EARLY FILES

TEN YEARS AGO

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***Airman Jerry K. Flowers has graduated from the U.S. Air Force technical training course for telephone equipment installation repairmen at Sheppard AFB, Tex. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie B. Flowers of Rt. 1, Jones.

***Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Kelley of Elba celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on June 5 at Jefferson Street Baptist Church in Dublin, Ga. The couple had a joint celebration with Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Martin of Dublin. Mrs. Martin is a sister to Mrs. Kelley.

***Rev. Joe Henry Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.S. Jones of Elba, is attending New Orleans Baptist Seminary in preparation for the ministry. He was recently licensed to preach at Whitewater Baptist Church.

***Miss Karla Carr, a junior at Charles Henderson High School, has been selected to serve as majorette for the Trojan Marching Band for the coming school year. Karla is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carr and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Carr of Rt. 1, Elba.

***Carolyn Crawford holds six catfish she caught Saturday in a private pond, weighing a total of 9 pounds. Leslie Phillips caught these two catfish in a private pond.

NEW OFFICERS OF THE ELBA JAYCEES

Wayne Grantham, John Ford, Wayne Stewart, Dwight Wells, Bobby King, Charles Ellis, James Maddox, Bill Fullilove, Jerry Brown, Joe Ben DeVane.

***"Looking Tough!" John Collier, but boy, Jeffrey Bowdoin, Sam DeVane, James Meacham, Douglas Hudson, Rodney Williams, Greg Prescott, Dennis Carlisle, Bruce Donaldson, John Stevens, Bert Morrow, Randy Sinifill, coach Ferrell Morrow.

***"We're the Best!" Steve Morrow, Mike Coppage, Gary Boland, Donald Gies, Mark Hamlin, Jimmy Morrow, bat boy; Rachel Moore, Joe Smith, Randy Stewart, Rodney Hamlin, Charlie Windham, coach Floyd Morrow.

***U.S. Air Force Captain Teddy R. Christian, whose wife Jean is the daughter of Mrs. Milla Boswell of Elba, served as the pilot on one of the HC-130 Hercules aircraft that refueled two HH-3 helicopters in their recent record setting transatlantic flight. The Jolly Green Giant's copiers made aviation history by recording the first nonstop helicopter flight across the Atlantic.

***Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watkins of Elba announce the birth of a baby girl Sherri Lynn at the Elba General Hospital in June 9. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Brock Parker of Elba, and Mrs. Ann Watkins of Opp.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

JUNE 27, 1957
***C.B. McDowell, a salesman tried to sell me a large size barometer last Saturday. I told him if he would furnish me some hair, I might be interested, but as the situation the blood, a soft brush was the only hair dressing instrument that would do me any good.

***John Taylor, who recently moved from Elba to the old Taylor Mill Community, west of here was in town Monday morning. He said a black cloud hung over his place Sunday about noon and really dumped out the water.

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Mr. and Mrs. John F. Moody of Irondale, Ala., announce the birth of a baby girl Sarah Elizabeth (Lisa) on Tuesday, June 23, in the UAB hospital. She weighed 6 lbs. 3 ozs. and was 17 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moody, Elba; and Mr. and Mrs. F.A. DeVane.

Bethlehem Cemetery

Fund Established

A fund has been established to insure the continued upkeep of the Bethlehem Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery. All persons with friends or loved ones buried in the cemetery are asked to contribute to this fund. Donations may be deposited directly into the fund at SouthTrust Bank, 100 N. 2nd St., Elba, Ala. or by check to Bethlehem Cemetery Fund, or mailed to Mrs. W.E. Farris or Lena Farris, Kendrick Apts. No. 4, Elba, AL 36523.

Coffee County Humane

To Meet July 7th

The Coffee County Humane Society will meet on July 7 at 7 p.m. in the basement of the Enterprise City Hall building.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Pastor's Corner

REV. ROBERT KIRKLAND
Westside Baptist Church

Unwanted Children

A few years ago I heard a representative from the Baptist Children's Home of Mississippi tell the following story. A mother carried her five children to

SPORTS

Views From

The Pressbox

By, Ricky Mularz

Raindrops keep falling on my head... I've heard the TV announcers say that all the recent rains will help the farmers make money on all their crops, and while I'll admit that will be great, as far as outdoor activities go the rains cause havoc! I've gotten totally soaked trying to umpire softball tournaments the past two weeks and you know the players are tired of slipping and sliding on muddy fields, so when you farmers get enough rain let everybody know and maybe the sun will come back!

PIRATES REPEAT AS DIXIE YOUTH BASEBALL CHAMPS

When Jerry Chandler took over the reins of the Pirates from Jimmy DuBose earlier this spring he was told that all the teams in the Dixie Youth League were tired of losing to the two-time champs and this would be the year the teams paid the Pirates back. Coach Chandler was in the "hot seat" to be sure, but he went out and kept the Pirates' dynasty in check and led the team to an outstanding 13-1 record and a third straight title. It takes more than a good coach to make a team into champs and Coach Chandler had plenty of help with a number of returnees; however, he was the man who made the decisions and most of the credit for the success should be given to him. Good job, Coach!

The Dixie Youth season was a two-team race all year between the Pirates and Cardinals, and while the Cardinals did have to settle for second, the boys in red battled hard all season and played well enough to win every night out. Coaches Harry Young and Mickey McCollough suffered through a winless season three years ago with the Cardinals, but the coaches stuck together and built a very good team from scratch, as this season's record will indicate. It takes dedicated coaches who are willing to stick with the program to make a successful league, and Harry and Mickey definitely fall in this category!

A major surprise during the season was the play of the Tigers, a team that struggled last summer and seemed destined to battle for a middle place finish in the standings. Coach Larry Grantham moved up from minor league to take the Tiger head coaching job and led the guys to a third place finish in what was a very competitive year. The Tiger players deserve credit for sticking with it through the bad times of last year, and Coach Grantham deserves credit for laying the foundation for a winning team!

Looking at the rest of the standings, the Mets, coached by Wayne Bryan and Alvin Cordell, the "dean of Dixie Youth coaches," placed fourth despite losing four potential starters that moved out of town, and losing a couple of more starters during the season. The Mets knocked the Cardinals out of the pennant race and were a team that you knew would always be ready to play! The Astros, coached by Dewayne Hodge, had a very competitive team and were a team the opposing teams never looked forward to playing. The Astros may have been a little short on talent, but they were never lacking for coaching or desire to win! At the beginning of the season I rated the Yankees had the youngest team I had ever seen in Dixie Youth and the Yanks struggled and finished the season with no wins on their record. Forget the record and all the losses - the Yankees were very young and inexperienced and improved 100 percent by the end of the year; it was just too much to ask the youngsters to win this season. The other teams had better be ready next year because the Yankees will be a year wiser and ready to win!

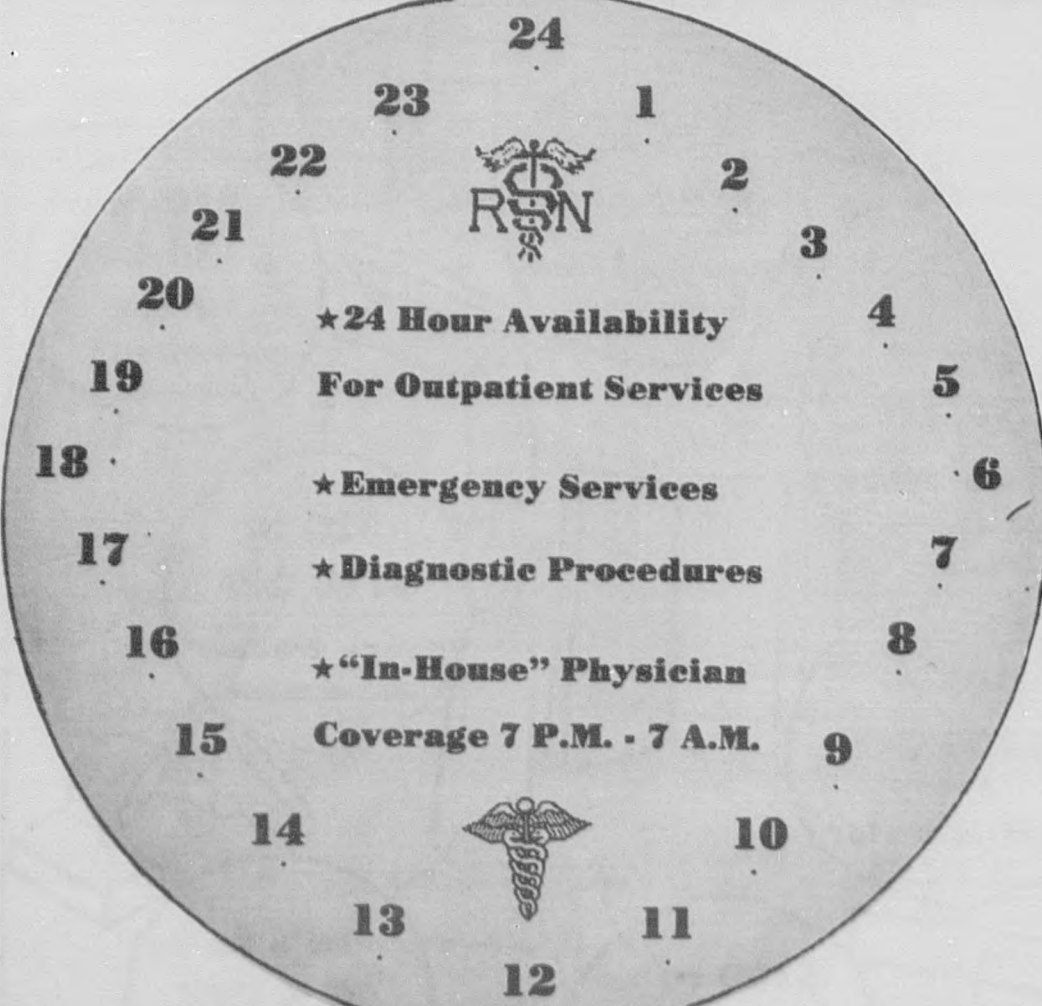
SHOT-FOR-SHOT COVERAGE IS ALMOST TOO MUCH

I spent most of the day Sunday relaxing on the couch and watched practically the entire U.S. Open golf tournament on television. ABC showed the tourney Sunday from start to finish, and I mean start to finish! The coverage began before the leader's even teed off and followed the leaders on every hole throughout the final round. Used to play golf and enjoy it as much as anyone, but to sit and watch six hours of golf is too much to ask!

FOOTBALL SEASON IS CLOSING IN

I know it's a little hard to believe, but football season is just two months away and the teams are already gathering to begin lifting weights and making preparations. The teams can't officially begin practicing for several weeks, but you can bet the players who want to play will show up for the pre-season drills and be ready to go when the flag drops!

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Elba Merchants Place 2nd In Mens Class D District Tourney

The District 7 Men's Class D Softball Tournament was held the weekend of June 12-13 at Westgate Park in Dothan with a total of 33 teams competing, and placing second in the annual event were the Elba Merchants.

The Merchants opened the double elimination tournament with a lopsided 16-0 win over the Louisville Merchants and then blasted Spikes of Enterprise 11-2. A 7-5 loss to B & J Groceries of Troy sent the Merchants into the loser's bracket; however, they weren't ready to come home and battled back through the bracket to reach the tourney finals!

Merchant wins in the loser's bracket were over Michelin Tires of Dothan 2-1; City Merchants of Elba 8-2; ALFA of Red Level 13-6; Barbour County Merchants 7-4 and the Opp Merchants 9-6.

The winning streak put the weary Merchants back against the undefeated B & J Groceries and the Merchants had to settle for second place as B & J took the win and the district title, with a 15-5 score.

The second-place finish puts the Merchants into the South Sub-state Tourney, to be held July 17-19. Other teams advancing to sub-state action besides B & J include Opp Merchants, Barbour County Merchants, Southside Baptist of Andalusia, Jab's Sporting Goods of Troy, BGN Construction of Enterprise, Enterprise Hospital, Michelin Tire of Dothan, Twichell of Dothan; City Merchants of Elba, and ALFA of Andalusia.



ELBA MERCHANTS... Kneeling L-R: Kenneth Sutley, Warren Gallimore, Mike McCollough and David Ammons; Standing, L-R: Troy Hudson, Freddie Thomas, Nip Ammons, J.R. Helms, John Osburn and Chuck Coleman.

The Elba Merchant softball team is sponsored by ELCO, Grimes Oil, TDS Systems, Elba Big Bear, Haywood Discount Drugs, Runt's Auto Sav, Dr. Billy Farris and the Hair Designers.

White Sox Claim Babe Ruth Baseball League Crown

The Babe Ruth Baseball League season drew to a close last week with the White Sox and Reds finishing 1-2 in the league standings.

The White Sox claimed the league championship with a final record of 12-3, followed by the Reds 8-7, A's 6-9 and Dodgers 4-11.

Following are final week highlights:

White Sox 8
Reds 5

The White Sox pulled out to an early lead and held on to nip the Reds 8-6. The White Sox jumped ahead 3-0 in the first inning and stretched their lead to 7-2 in the third; however, the Reds rallied and battled until the end and dropped the narrow decision.

Jason Grider and David Rowe got

2 hits apiece to lead the Sox, while Rowe tossed a 4-hitter and struck out 8 batters.

Chris Thomas had a 2 rbi single to pace the Reds.

A's 10
Dodgers 9

Cook Rolls Along Unbeaten In Softball

The Men's Softball League played only one night last week due to the rainy weather, but there was plenty of action on the night games were held as a total of 59 runs crossed the plate in three games!

Cook Chevrolet leads the league with a 13-0 record, followed by the City Merchants 8-5, Elba Merchants 7-5, Budweiser 4-9, Country Convenience 4-9 and Work Release 2-10.

Following are highlights of last week's action:

Elba Merchants 15
Budweiser 5

The Elba Merchants scored at will to blast Budweiser 15-5. The Merchants jumped out to an early 9-0 lead and coasted to the lopsided win. Mike McCollough and J.R. Helms got 3 hits each to lead the Merchants, while Nip Ammons, Troy Hudson, Chuck Coleman and Derek Young all added 2. White and Jackson got 2 hits each for Budweiser.

Work Release 13
Country Conv. 3

Bandits Post Win In Girls Softball

The Girls Softball League got in only one night of action last week due to the soggy skies, but there was plenty of action in the game that was played as the Bandits claimed their first win by outscoring the Blazers 10-2.

The Braves lead the league with a 1-0 record, followed by the Bandits 1-1 and the Blazers 1-2. Following is the recap of last week's game:

Tyson & Burch Added To All-Stars

Elba Recreation Director Dennis Smith announced this week that two players have been added to the roster for the Babe Ruth 13-year-old All-Star team, released last week. Both players should have been named to the squad at the original

Biathlon Set For Ft. Rucker July 25

The first annual Wiregrass Biathlon will be held on July 25 at the West Beach of Lake Tholocco at Ft. Rucker, and all area athletes are encouraged to compete in this test of overall athletic ability. The event will begin at 9 a.m. and race distances will vary for competitors of different ages and

The A's scored 5 runs in the final inning to sneak past the Dodgers 10-9. The Dodgers had scored 4 runs in the top of the last inning to grab a 9-5 lead, but the A's combined 3 hits with 4 walks to score five runs in the bottom of the inning to pull out the win.

Todd McCall and Shane Spurlin ripped doubles to lead the A's, while Adam Crews ripped a bases-loaded double for the Dodgers.

The final day at camp was spent in final evaluation and the Elba Junior High squad rated superior in both camp sideline chant and camp cheer. A detailed "around-the-field" evaluation was held at which the cheerleaders had to demonstrate a

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TEACHING VACANCY

The Coffee County School System announces that applications for a **MATH** teacher are now being accepted. Teacher assignment will be Kinston High School.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: All applicants must have valid Alabama Teacher's Certificate. Applicants must be certified in the area of Math. Some coaching duties may be required. Prior experience is desired but not required. Certification, experience and qualifications will be determining factor in selection.

The following employment procedures will be adhered to:

1. An application may be received from the Coffee County School System at the following address:
Coffee County Board of Education
Clayton P. Bryant, Superintendent
P.O. Drawer D
Elba, Alabama 36323
2. Applications may be submitted to the address listed above.
3. Applications will be received until the close of business (4:00 p.m.) on Thursday, July 2, 1987.
4. All applications will be reviewed by appropriate principal and/or coordinator, who will arrange necessary interviews.
5. Recommendations will be submitted to the Superintendent by the principal and/or coordinator.
6. The Superintendent will make recommendations to the School Board for action.
7. All applicants will receive written notification of action taken.



Elba Junior High Cheerleaders Rated Superior At UCA Cheerleading Clinic

The Elba Junior High cheerleaders attended the Universal Cheerleaders Association Cheerleading Clinic at the University of Alabama on June 9-12 and brought home superior ribbons in all areas of evaluation.

The cheerleaders were housed at Tutwiler Hall during the 4-day clinic and attended classes in Memorial Coliseum, the indoor football facility and the law school field.

A total of 11 junior high, 4 junior varsity, 22 varsity and 4 co-ed cheerleading squads from Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Tennessee and Florida attended the annual clinic, at which all participants learned a number of new cheers, sideline chants, band chants, jumps, pyramids, double stunts, tumbling stunts and a dance routine.

On the opening day of activity the Elba Junior cheerleaders received a spirit stick for overall group spirit and on the second day of the clinic the Tiger cheerleaders received a superior ribbon for the camp cheer and received the highest score of any squad in their unit, as well as receiving a second spirit stick.

On the third day of the clinic the cheerleaders received a superior ribbon in home dance, which was performed to "Eye of the Tiger," and later received another superior ribbon for a second camp cheer and was once again picked as the top squad in the unit. The cheerleaders also received the spirit stick for the third straight day!

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cheer, chant, double stunt and band dance in a period of 20 minutes. The Elba squad completed the evaluation in 15 minutes and received a superior ribbon.

The clinic teachers recommended a limited number of squads to compete for the camp championship and the Elba squad was chosen. The cheerleaders were picked as finalists in the competition and received a special "gold superior rating" for their performance.

During the clinic the cheerleaders received a total of 7 superior ribbons, 1 gold superior ribbon and the camp's spirit stick.

Individual honors went to captain Susan Johnson, who was selected by her squad to demonstrate proper jumps to the entire camp population and to Heather Stinson, who was named to the camp's Top 12 among cheerleaders for her dancing abilities in the camp dance.

Cheerleader sponsor Kathy Mularz attended an in-depth course in cheerleading safety at the clinic and received a certificate for successfully completing the course. Items taught at the seminar included spotting, proper techniques for partner stunts, pyramids and tumbling, conditioning and establishing safe perimeters for cheerleading activities.

Completion of the course certified Mrs. Mularz as a licensed UCA cheerleading instructor.

Members of the Elba Junior High cheerleaders include Tamara Rowe, Susan Johnson - captain; Amy Osburn, Misty Miller, Heather Stinson, Leah Crowe, Charla Pearce - co-captain, and Mandy Shirley.

Also attending the clinic as a chaperone was Elaine Shirley.

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SCHEDULE

MEN'S SOFTBALL

Red Sox 10
Expos 4

The Red Sox led all the way to rip the Expos 10-4.

The Red Sox jumped out to an early 6-0 lead and coasted to the win. Nicky Semmonelle and Shandy scored 3 runs each for the Sox.

Indians 17
Royals 14

The Indians pulled ahead early and held on to nip the Royals 17-14. The Indians led 17-7 going into the final inning, but had to hold on to post the win.

Aron Kirkland and Sam Moates scored 3 runs each for the Indians, while Rudy Free, Ladon Daniels and Daniel White all scored 2.

Leroy Smedley scored 3 runs for the Royals, while Kevin Tillis, Siler, Scottie and Sterling Jones all scored 2.

Braves 14
Giants 9

The Braves grabbed an early lead and then pulled away late to defeat the Giants 14-9.

The Braves jumped ahead 7-0 in the first inning, but the Giants rallied to cut the lead to 9-8 in the fourth before the Braves pulled away for the win.

Eddie Cowen scored 3 runs for the Braves, while Troy Bryan, Jodie Johnson, Brad Holley and Jason Smith all scored 2.

Steve Hodge scored 3 runs for the Giants and David Heneghan scored 2.

Red Sox 16
Angels 12

The Red Sox scored late to edge the Angels 16-12.

The Angels had grabbed a 4-3 lead in the first inning, but the Sox moved on top 14-7 in the third and held on for the win.

Derrick Daniels and Jason scored 3 runs for the Sox, while Shandy, Todd McKee and Shane Bragg all scored 2.

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Rangers 8
Expos 7

The Rangers rallied late to nip the Expos 8-7.

The Expos pulled out to a 5-1 lead in the third inning; however, the Rangers rallied and scored 3 runs in the final inning to claim the narrow win.

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Open Lead In Dixie Youth

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The Pirates lead the league standings with a 12-1 record, followed by the Cardinals 10-3, Tigers 9-5, Mets 5-8, Astros 3-10 and Yankees 0-13.

Following are last week's exciting highlights:

Mets 17
Yankees 6

The Mets combined 11 hits with 12 walks to pound the Yankees 17-1.

The Mets led only 2-0 after one inning, but scored almost at will to get 3 hits, including a home-run, to lead the Mets, while Kyle Padgett added 3 hits and pitched a 1-hitter with 6 strikeouts.

Alan Roberson and Bragg also got 2 hits for the Mets.

Tony Parker got the only Yankee hit.

Pirates 12
Cardinals 10

The Pirates pulled out to an early 11-0 lead and held on to defeat the Cardinals 12-10.

The Pirates carried an 11-0 lead into the bottom of the fourth inning and appeared headed for a lopsided win, but the Cardinals scored twice in the inning to keep the game alive and then added 8 runs in the closing innings to go down swinging.

Vincent Thigpen, Jason Free and Joey Donaldson got 2 hits apiece to spark the Pirates, while Thigpen, Donaldson and Jason Free all ripped home-runs.

Eric Simmons got 3 hits, including a home-run, to lead the Cardinals, while Lance McCollough added 3 hits and Chris Parrish and Joe Jacobs both added 2.

Tigers 10
Mets 1

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LEGAL NOTICES

SECTION 1A - ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Elba City Board of Education in the office of the Superintendent of Education, Collier Street, Elba, Alabama, until 2:00 p.m. Thursday, July 2, 1987 for the carpet replacement in Vocational Department at Elba High School, Project No. PSCA 5109-8 Elba, Alabama. Work shall be in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by Dunsteth & Lee/Architects and dated: June 1, 1987. Proposals will be publicly opened and read at the time and place noted above.

Proposals shall be submitted on forms included in the specifications or copies thereof and shall be accompanied by a bid Bond or Certified Check in the amount of 5% of the bid. Checks shall be made payable to the Elba City Board of Education.

Bid documents may be obtained at the office of the Architect, Dunsteth & Lee/Architects, 112 Pettus Street, Dothan, Alabama 36031, phone (205) 792-4634. Contractors may obtain one (1) or two (2) sets of plans and specifications upon deposit of \$25.00 per set. The full amount of the deposit will be refunded to each Contractor who submits a bona fide bid and upon return of such sets in good condition within 10 days after the date of the bid opening. If plans and specifications are not returned or if a bona fide bid is not submitted, the deposit will not be refunded. Subcontractors and material suppliers may obtain whole or partial sets of plans and specifications by paying the cost of reproduction and mailing charges. Refunds will not be made on such sets.

In accordance with State law, a non-refundable Proposal/Plan Fee of \$5.00 must accompany each request for plans for each Contractor expecting to submit a bid. Such checks shall be made payable to the Elba City Board of Education and shall be separate from plan deposit check.

Bidders are not required to be licensed as General Contractors under the provisions of Title 34, Chapter 8, Code of Alabama 1975. Where licensing is required by the City of Elba or Coffee County, such licenses shall be obtained prior to beginning any work.

Nonresident bidders must accompany any written bid documents with a written opinion of an attorney at law licensed to practice law in such nonresident bidder's state of domicile as to the preference, if any, law, license, or by the law of that state to its own business entities whose principal places of business are located in the letting of any or all public contracts.

No bid may be withdrawn for a period of 30 days after the time and date set for bid opening. The accepted bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond. The Performance Bond shall be in an amount equal to 100% of the contract price and the Payment Bond shall be in an amount equal to 50% of the Contract Price. The cost of the bonds shall be included in the proposal.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive technicalities and informalities.

Whereas, Philip E. Bogan and wife, Sue Bogan, are the First Southern Federal Savings and Loan Association, a Corporation, on the 13th day of October, 1980, a mortgage upon the real estate hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness described therein, said mortgage being recorded in Mortgage Book 70-A, at Pages 333-336, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, Alabama, and said mortgage was assigned to California

Federal Savings & Loan Association, a Corporation, on November 12, 1982, and said assignment was recorded in Misc. Book 29, Page 280, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, Alabama, and said mortgage was assigned by California Federal Savings & Loan Association, a Corporation, to the Federal National Mortgage Association on April 1, 1983 and said assignment was recorded in Misc. Book 29, at Page 652, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, Alabama, and

WHEREAS, Dwan S. Ellenburg, executed an assumption agreement in regard to said mortgage on the 25th day of August, 1982, and said assumption agreement was recorded at Misc. Book 31, Page 687, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, Alabama, and

WHEREAS, default has been made by the mortgagor in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and said assumption agreement and in the performance of said mortgage and said assumption agreement and said default continuing;

NOW, THEREFORE, Federal National Mortgage Association, the mortgagee and owner of said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage, at 11:00 o'clock A.M., on Tuesday, June 30, 1987, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash in the front of the Courtroom of the Coffee County, Alabama, in the City of Elba, Alabama, the real estate embraced in said mortgage described as follows:

Lots number 15 and 22 in Block "C" of the Brookdale Subdivision in the City of Elba, Alabama, according to the Plat of said Subdivision recorded in Plat Book 1, at Page 3, in the Probate Office of Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the mortgage debt, together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

This 5th day of June, 1987.

FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, The Mortgagee and Owner of said Mortgage
6-18-11c

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER POWER

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain Real Estate Mortgage executed by Bate C. Johnston and wife, Sally Ann Johnston, to the United States of America, acting by and through the Farmers Home Administration, United States Department of Agriculture, dated January 31, 1972, recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, Alabama, and said mortgage being recorded in Mortgage Book R-153, Pages 777-780, and

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Round & About With Eria

****Then came Peter to him, and aid, Lord, now off shall my brother in against me and I forgive him? Till even times?**

Jesus said unto him, I say not unto thee, until seven times, but until seventy times seven.

Therefore is the Kingdom of heaven likened unto a certain king, which would take account of his servants. And when he had begun to reckon one was brought unto him, which owed him ten thousand talents. But forasmuch as he had not a pay, his lord commanded him to be sold, and his wife and children, and all that he had, and payment to be made. The servant therefore fell down and worshipped him saying, Lord, have patience with me and I will pay thee all. Then the Lord of that servant was moved with compassion and loosed him, and forgave him the debt. Matt. 18:21-27.

****Thinking of you, praying for you:** Mr. Collis Belcher, Mrs. Wilma Henderson, Mrs. Bessie L. Coon, Mrs. Jessie Bell, Mrs. Hannah Coleman, Mrs. Wilma Henderson, Miss Barbara Kelley.

****The Prince Hall Masons of Coffee County and Mizpha Order of the Eastern Star Chapters of Coffee County will celebrate St. John's Day Sunday, June 28, at Poplar Springs Baptist Church, New Brockton, at 2 p.m. Rev. John Gray is pastor of the church.**

****Oils and Joyce B. Johnson, Tusculumbia, were overnight guests of Grover and Eria Belcher the past weekend. Theo and Kathy Johnson returned home with them after spending a week in Elba with relatives and friends.**

****Bobby Guiley and Anthony Kelley, Elba, were visitors in Montgomery last Sunday morning.**

****The Carpenter Family Reunion and community get-together will be held at the Rocky Head M.B. Church of Elba on July 5.**

****He who repents a matter alienates a friend. Prov. 17:9**

****Lord, help me to face what is the matter.**

Not facing facts doesn't seem to be the answer.

Turning away is not the way - It doesn't last, And I will only have to face it later.

If facing life is the problem, Then let me do that.

I will go through it and not around it.

If I cannot face it all at once, Then give it to me in pieces and sizes I can live with.

Give me the nerve to ask someone to help me live.

What I cannot hold alone, Make me face what I can face, Jesus,

Turn my face to the truth, Jesus, Herbert F. Brookering



MR. RAY SCONIERS

A pioneer black businessman of Enterprise, Mr. Ray Sconiers has been in the funeral home business for over 50 years. He was born in New Brockton in October, 1903, to Billy Robert Sconiers and Allie Clark Sconiers.

He began his business after the death of his father who was also a mortician.

The original Sconiers Funeral Home was located on East College Street in downtown Enterprise, near the present day courthouse. The Sconiers were persuaded to enter the funeral profession by a wealthy black businessman, Mr. Will Goldstrucker of Pensacola, Fla. Last year alone, Ray, with the help of his children, handled 63 funerals. This included obtaining the body, embalming it, making all necessary arrangements, grief counseling, directing the funeral, and directing burial or shipment.

The Sconiers handle ship-in and ship-out funerals, pre-arrangements, and upon request can make recommendations for cremations. Mr. Sconiers is a licensed embalmer and funeral director, by the Alabama Board of Funeral Service of Montgomery. He has professional membership in the Alabama Funeral Directors and Morticians Association and the Allied Funeral Council. On a local level Mr. Sconiers

holds membership in the Coffee County/Alabama Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). Coffee County/Alabama Branch of the Alabama Democratic Conference (ADC), New Zion Masonic Lodge, Ladies Aid/Missionary Society, and Ft. Rucker/Alabama Branch of Blacks in Government (BIG).

By religious faith he's a Methodist, a member of the John's Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. Robert Balhrope Jr., pastor.

Being a family tradition, Ray has two cousins in the funeral home business - John L. Sconiers who is manager of Sconiers Funeral Home in Columbus, Ga.; Ben Harrison Jr., who manages Harrison Funeral Home in Troy.

Mr. Sconiers was the third of six children born to Billy and Allie Sconiers and the only boy. Three of his sisters are deceased: Cecelia, Jessie and Cecelia. His surviving sisters are Mrs. Willie Bell Sconiers Gibson and Mrs. Callie Leon Sconiers Mayes, both of Enterprise.

Ray has been married to the late Beatrice Stokes Sconiers, Vassie Carlisle Sconiers and Lilla Sue Edwards Sconiers, all of whom have passed away.

He is fondly called "Ray" and has six children: Bonnie Ray Sconiers, Janice LaSharn Sconiers, Annie Ray Sconiers, Louise Frank Sconiers, Charlie Ray Sconiers Jr., and Thaddeus O'Neal Sconiers.

Mr. Sconiers lives at 512 Watt's Ave. West in Enterprise.

It was early evening when I visited Mr. Sconiers; there I was going into a funeral home and it was raining! He invited me into his office and the interview began.

"Mr. Ray, why did you pursue a career in becoming a mortician or professional undertaker, if you prefer that name?"

"When my father died, I inherited the funeral home business, and I had been working with him all along. I have sympathy for people and I like helping and dealing with them."

"My father left me one of the first black-owned businesses in the community. I liked this work and I kept the business going."

"To what do you attribute your success as a mortician?"

"Self-motivation, hard work and good friendships. I love living in Enterprise. Life is good, though all of us have problems; but I realize God is bigger than my problems and I trust Him."

Mr. Ray, you and Thaddeus were most kind. God bless you!

"Have a good day!"

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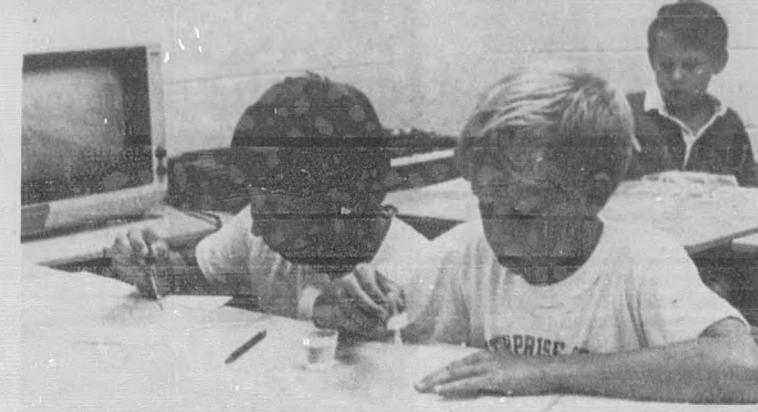
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YOUTH ATTEND COLLEGE... Ernest Myers (left) and Charles Bozeman, both of Elba, were among 230 youngsters who attended "Youth College" at Enterprise State Junior College June 8-18. Ernest and Charles are pictured having "Fun with Science," using drops of water to distort typewritten letters.



ENTERTAINERS PERFORM IN NEW YORK... The Enterprise State Junior College Entertainers, an 18-member vocal/dance group, spent five days in New York City earlier this month. While there the group performed at the Lincoln Center. Members making the trip were L-R, front row: Lesley Ham, Elba; Debbie Hays, Enterprise; Ceina Hayes, Elba; Jennifer Childree, Enterprise; Angie Asodi, Ozark; Kelly Thurlow, Chancellor; Rachel Cowart, Elba; Theresa Lolley and Janet Andrews, both of Enterprise; Back Row, L-R: Matt Gingery, Daleville; Bo Roberts, Enterprise; Marty Harrelson, Elba; Paul Thomley, Wicksburg; Casey Henderson, Enterprise; Deryl Hunt, Enterprise; Ron Britt, Enterprise; and Chris Carter, Enterprise. Not pictured is Greg Rodriguez of Enterprise. Director of the group is ESJC instructor Patty Muller.

Arts & Craft Show To Be Held At Floral

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MacArthur Student Employed By Sony

Phillip Kelley, a former drafting graduate of MacArthur Tech, was recently employed by Sony in Dothan. Phillip will be responsible for modifying molding drawings for VHS cassettes.

A 1984 graduate of Elba High School, Phillip is married to the former Lori Maddox of Coffee Springs.

Phillip said, "MacArthur has placed several students at Sony and they have requested more, but at this time there are not enough available graduates to fill the demands."



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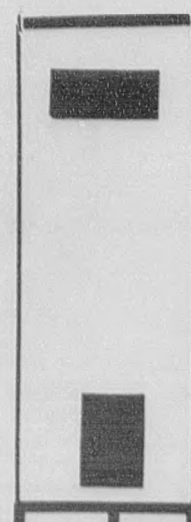


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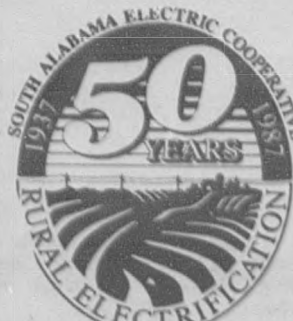
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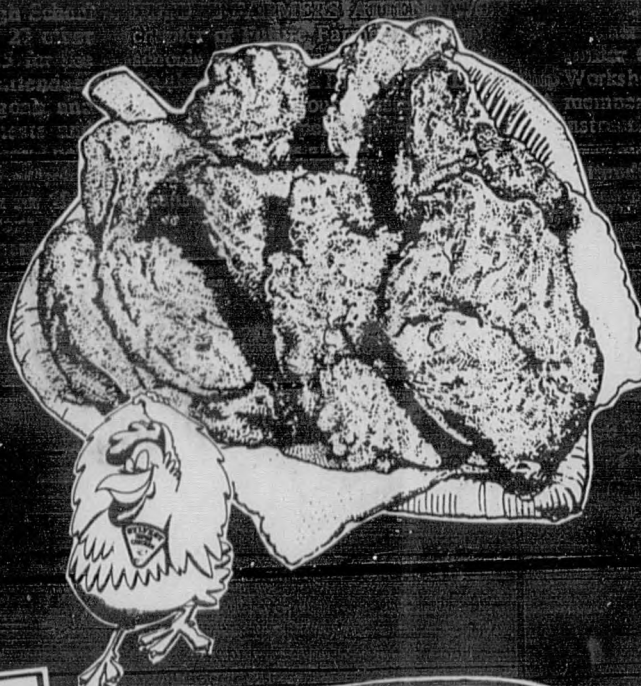
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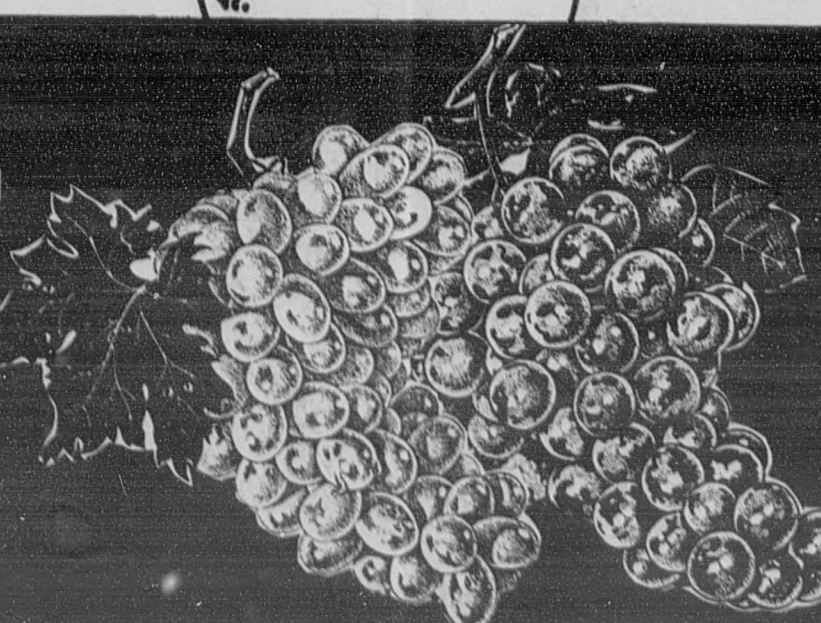
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